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Inspection Report Minerals Regulatory Program July 26, 2011

Reviewed: 

Mine Name: Levan Chicken Creek	Permit Number: M/023/0016
Operator Name: Sunroc Corp.	Inspection Date: July 14, 2011
Inspector(s): Wayne Western	Time: 3:00 - 4:00 pm
Other Participants: Jared Riley Mine Supervisor	Mine Status: Active

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Re-vegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Purpose of Inspection:

This was a routine inspection.

Inspection Summary:

The bond amount is \$688,475 and the renewal date is 2007. The Division is waiting for updated mine plans before requesting a bond adjustment. The permit fees are current.

The highwalls on the east pit are near vertical and border the permit boundary. The Permittee is in the process to expand the permit area to the north. The east pit has been mine to the limits.

The west pit also has steep highwalls.

The Permittee uses water to control the dust on the roads.

There are no significant impoundments on the sites.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

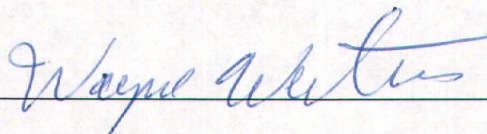
The Division should continue to monitor the site.

Inspector's Signature

WHW:

cc: (OPERATOR)

Agency – Uinta NF- administered by Manti-LaSal NF
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East Pit – mined to the permit boundary



East Pit – near vertical highwall



Projection at the west pit



Crushing at the west pit